Parks Seasonal Water Technician

FLSA Status: Non-Exempt

General Definition of Work

Reports and records daily monitoring of the splash park and participates in splash park maintenance and repair assignments, and related work as apparent or assigned. Monitors parks irrigation systems; hand waters flower baskets, planters and public gardens daily. Coordinates fertilizing as part of water duties. Work is performed under the limited supervision of the Parks and Recreation Director with direct supervision from the Parks Grounds and Facility Maintenance Foreman.

Qualification Requirements

To perform this job successfully, an individual must be able to perform each essential function satisfactorily. The requirements listed below are representative of the knowledge, skill and/or ability required. Reasonable accommodations may be made to enable an individual with disabilities to perform the essential functions.

Essential Functions

Maintains daily splash park water testing results

Daily: cleans and maintains, splash park

Coordinates splash park maintenance concerns with Westfield Water Utility

Completes and maintains daily watering checklists for downtown hanging baskets

Completes and maintains daily watering checklist for all park and public space gardens

Maintains records and logs and submits to Parks and Recreation Director

Monitors garden conditions and reports to Parks and Recreation Director

Recognizes and diagnoses potential problems associated with watering and/or irrigation systems

Presents ideas effectively, both orally and in writing

Assists Parks Department Grounds and Facility staff as needed

Perform other tasks as assigned by Park and Recreation Director

Knowledge, Skills and Abilities

Thorough knowledge of the methods, materials, tools and equipment used in splash park monitoring; thorough knowledge of hazards and safety precautions associated with type of work assigned; ability to recognize and diagnose problems; ability to follow oral and written instructions; ability to work of others; ability to maintain records; ability to establish and maintain effective working relationships with associates and the general public.

Education and Experience

High school diploma or GED and experience in maintenance, repair and construction, or equivalent combination of education and experience.

Physical Requirements

This work requires the regular exertion of up to 10 pounds of force, frequent exertion of up to 25 pounds of force and occasional exertion of up to 50 pounds of force; heavy lifting up to 75 pounds: work regularly requires standing, frequently requires walking, speaking or hearing, using hands to finger, handle or feel and repetitive motions and occasionally requires sitting, stooping, kneeling, crouching or crawling, reaching with hands and arms, pushing or pulling and lifting; work has standard vision requirements; vocal

communication is required for expressing or exchanging ideas by means of the spoken word; hearing is required to perceive information at normal spoken word levels; work requires visual inspection involving small defects and/or small parts, operating machines, operating motor vehicles or equipment and observing general surroundings and activities; work regularly requires exposure to outdoor weather conditions, frequently requires working near moving mechanical parts and exposure to vibration and occasionally requires exposure to fumes or airborne particles, exposure to toxic or caustic chemicals, exposure to the risk of electrical shock and exposure to blood borne pathogens and will be required to wear specialized personal protective equipment; work is generally in a moderately noisy location (e.g. field work, business office, light traffic).

Special Requirements

Valid driver's license in the State of Indiana